

STARTLING ADDRESS BY REV. WM. IRVINE

The Doom Of Partisanism Pronounced In Scathing Terms By Speaker

The idea of the individualistic spirit is passing in politics as well as in commerce. The fields of Flanders are now become the graveyard of the individualistic system in the spheres of industry. Such was the gist of the address delivered by the Rev. Wm. Irvine of Calgary, before the U.F.A. local on Saturday last in the Oddfellows Hall. Owing to the weather there was not a large audience.

Mr. Irvine opened his speech by pointing out that this period was a revolutionary period, although not as but posterity will recognize it. We are obsessed with the war, and having failed to discern that industrialism under the capitalist system has been more oppressive and murderous than the recent war. But the two together has brought such a burden to bear upon the masses in all civilized nations that they cannot carry it. Whenever the oppression has become acute someone rises up with a panacea that proves it to be but a partial palliative. None go to the root of the matter. A new idea of service, however, has affected organized labor, and it will force the issue.

In his satirical delineation of the weaknesses and folly of party government he declared that it was corrupt, foolish and useless, no matter what party is in power. Partisanism divides a people without any cause for division, and its legislation is not for the people as such but is nullified by special privilege. The only reason why partisanism is still extant is because of old traditions and sentimentality, the partisans are stamped by some catchword slogan, that, upon analysis, is found to mean nothing except for a favored few.

He electrified his audience by saying that there was no government in Canada, provincial or federal, that has got the vision of the new day, either ethical, prophetic or economic. The new spirit is already in the hearts of people who come from out of the masses, and it will be the masses and not the privileged classes that will make the new civilization under the new era of reconstruction. This does not mean, however, that the change will come about through revolution, but the rather by a rapid process of growth. Mr. Irvine looked toward a great future for the Non-Partisan League as incorporating a new spirit and a new vision in keeping with the demands of reconstruction of the body politic.

The chair was very ably taken by Mr. Guy W. Johnson, and an informal discussion took place of the idea of encouraging the farmers to build more permanently and also to beautify their homes with trees.

MIXED BONSPILL STARTS TO-DAY

The annual bonspill for ladies and gentlemen is scheduled to start to-day.

A meeting of the curling club was held this morning, when arrangements for it were made. A charge of \$1.00 for everyone taking part will be made, in addition to a surcharge of \$1.00 on all gentlemen not members of the club. The proceeds of the 'spoil will be divided equally between the Curling Club and the local branch of the Red Cross Society. Heretofore all the proceeds have been handed in to the Red Cross, but this year the members of the club felt that as their organization needs money, and also as the weather has as yet afforded them little sport, the money ought to be divided.

Mr. W. H. Grant has the drawing up of the schedule in hand, and preparations are now being made to commence the contest this evening.

Mr. E. B. McCullough has fully recovered from his recent attack of the 'flu. There are no more cases of the 'flu either in the town or the district.

VULCAN FAIR, 1919

Owing to the weather conditions last Saturday the meeting of the members of the Vulcan Agricultural Society could not be held. It is postponed until Saturday of this week March 1st, at the Oddfellows Hall at 2.30.

The executive of the U.F.A. local desire all members of the local to attend this meeting as they consider the future of the Vulcan Fair to be of great importance. It is not found feasible to send out individual notices, but the officers of the Society wish them to accept this intimation.

The Rev. J. T. Ferguson, D.D., of Calgary, was in town on Monday of this week on a brief visit at the Manser.

Mr. W. E. Butchart left on a business visit to Calgary last evening.

VULCAN STILL HOLDS McNAUGHTON CUP

Visiting Carmangay Rinks Give Close Run But Fail to Lift The Jewelry

Two rinks from Carmangay were in Vulcan on Saturday, fighting for the McNaughton cup, and although they put up a plucky struggle, coming close to winning, they had to go back, leaving the cup here by a narrow margin of one point.

The Vulcan rinks were Grant, skip, Hall, Flood, Mitchell and Wolfe, skip. Whieher, Anderson, Lawrence. The Carmangay rinks were skipped by the brothers, E. Law and B. Law respectively. Grant managed an easy win of 13 of 7, but Wolfe lost 13 to 18, the total points on the two games being 26 to 25.

On the phone call from Carmangay two rinks from Vulcan went down on this morning's train to fight against the would-be possessors.

PROTEST PROPOSED ROAD ROUTE

That the matter of the proposed new highway between Lethbridge and Calgary and that the proposed route is not to the general public interest was the decision reached at the annual meeting of the Rural Municipal District of Royal last Thursday. The matter came up for discussion, at the end of which a resolution was passed which will call upon the provincial department of public works to divert the road from the proposed route through Nanton and have remain on the old route running through Vulcan, Brant and High River. This latter is the route which is being used every day by people making the journey, and the opinion of the various districts affected is that it would be unwise to divert traffic from an old road to a new road, especially when the one that is being used at present is in fairly good condition and could be made into a first class road at much less expense than the new one would cost.

RED CROSS SHIPMENTS

The local branch of the Red Cross Society desire to acknowledge receipt of the following goods from the Red Cross school district auxiliary.

January—13 many tailed bandages, 8 bed socks, 20 wringers, 2 surgeon gowns, 15 stretcher caps, 22 P.P. bags, 10 amputation dressing covers, 10 pairs socks, 42 arm slings, 20 cotton binders, 70 pillow slips, 20 T. bandages.

February—10 pygamas, 46 arm slings, 4 pairs socks, 24 many tailed bandages, 20 bed socks, 3 shirts, 2 operations stockings, 1 surgeon gown.

The treasurer of the Vulcan branch of the Red Cross Society desires to acknowledge the receipt of \$10.00 from Mr. W. E. Butchart.

Don't miss the Lyceum concert on March 13th, at the Community Theatre. These entertainments are the best that have ever been here and are worthy of the best patronage.

ON VIMY RIDGE



The handsome memorial erected on Vimy Ridge in memory of the Canadians who fell in action there.

NOMINATIONS FOR M. DIST MARQUIS

Nominations for councillors for the Municipal District of Marquis handed in last Thursday numbered twelve, but as two of these withdrew there remain ten contestants for the positions of four councillors, one of whom will sit for one year, and three for two years.

The list of nominations is as follows:

Donald Sinclair, Hearnleigh; Henry Deitz, Milo; George E. Macomber, Queenstown; James Shouldice, Cluny; A. N. Blue, Queenstown; Milo Munroe, Milo; James G. Rowe, Vulcan; John H. Lucas, Reid Hill; Herman Spanke, Jr., Lake McGregor; R. O. Burk, Milo; James Dann, Vulcan; (withdrawn); Peter McIntyre, Lawndale (withdrawn).

NOMINATIONS FOR M. DIST OF ROYAL

Nominations for councillors for the six divisions of the Municipal District of Royal were handed in at the annual meeting last Thursday, and the following nominees will compete for municipal honors:

Division No. 1—Peter Petterson, Joseph Myers, George L. Ecker.
Division No. 2—Mark Hill, J. N. Johnstone.
Division No. 3—Andrew Larsen, Herman Hungerbuhler.
Division No. 4—R. B. Mills, T. J. Parker.
Division No. 5—Daniel McNiven, Alex Smith.
Division No. 6—Robert Fair, Jacob Eamor.

There will be an election in all divisions save one, No. 3. Although there were two nominees in this division, Mr. Hungerbuhler withdrew his nomination just after the time for receiving nominations closed.

ITEMS LOCAL INTEREST

Miss Mary Smith of Carmangay was a visitor in Vulcan last Saturday.

Mr. H. J. Maber was a Calgary visitor for Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Roe and daughter, who have been visiting in Ontario for the past few months, returned to Vulcan on Tuesday.

The mixed bonspill commences this evening at 6.30. Games will be played every day at 4.30, 6.30 and 8.30 until the contest is over.

Mr. Fred Bilton, who has been away in Connecticut for some weeks, notifies the farmers that he will be back on the livestock buying job in Vulcan next week, when he will be glad to renew old acquaintances.

From the recent mild weather to a temperature of 25 below zero is no mild jump, but this is what has happened locally during the past week, commencing last Friday. Snow has also fallen, and we are having the real Alberta sample of winter.

The local policeman informs the Advocate that all owners of cars who are not displaying licence numbers for the current year will be proceeded against. All the time of grace has expired, and it is time that everybody had their car rigged out with the 1919 numbers.

Owing to the inclement weather Mr. Meyer is unable to go to Travers where he has recently started a weekly picture show. He is also unable to open up at Milo. He hopes, however, to make these points next week. Mr. Meyer is a very busy man these days, flying the movie flag all over the district.

A new shoe doctor is coming to town in the person of H. E. Daines. Mr. Daines, who is a returned veteran of the 13th C.M.R., was in Vulcan last week looking up a location. He expects to commence business during the first week in March. Mr. Daines is an experienced man and should have no difficulty in making good in this town. We wish him every success.

Miss Cassie Davis was a visitor to Calgary on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walker returned from their trip to eastern Canada on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Hay returned last Saturday from Lethbridge, where she has been in hospital for several weeks past.

Billie McMullen who has been spending fifteen days leave in this district returned to Spokane last Thursday.

Mrs. Clarence Hall, who has been in Vulcan on a visit to her sister, Miss Edith Yeo, returned to Taber on Friday.

Owing to weather conditions the sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Mr. George Eamor, is postponed from February 26th until March 7th. Look up the advt. in another part of this issue. Auctioneer Rebbe has the sale in hand.

Messrs Arthur Mitchell & Co. have made arrangements to receive the Foster weather report covering the year, months and weeks of 1919. These reports will be on display at the real estate offices of the company and can be seen by anyone who wishes to avail themselves of them.

The bank of Hamilton have recently opened up a branch bank at Armada under the management of Mr. George A. Bober. Armada is on the proposed route of the Blackie-Suffield railway branch of the C.P.R., and is one of the best farming communities in the south. The bank will supply the needs of a growing and prosperous community.

Messrs J. D. McIntyre & Co. have recently sold two Oil-Pull tractors, one a 16-30, and the other a 12-20, the buyers being Mr. O. L. McPherson, of Vulcan, and Dr. W. H. Keister of the U.S.A., who has farming interests in this part of the country. Messrs McIntyre are looking forward to a big trade this spring and are making all arrangements to handle it. See their advertisement in another part of this issue.

RED CROSS DANCE WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR

Everybody Had A Good Time And Sum Of \$175.75 Was Raised

The Red Cross Masquerade Dance given in the Oddfellows Hall last Friday was undoubtedly one of the success of the year. All the world and his wife and family were there, and they all wore masquerade costumes.

The prize winners were hard for the judges to decide upon, so many and good were the costumes, but the final decisions were as follows:

Best dressed lady, Mrs. C. S. Hall, as Fatima; best dressed gent, Mr. Dalton, as George Washington; best comic lady, Miss Kittleson, as a chicken; best comic gent prize was awarded to Miss Elma Lomatzsch for her impersonation of Charlie Chaplin; best patriotic costume, lady, Miss Casey as the League of Nations; best patriotic costume, gent, Mr. C. McMillan, as a man in khaki. The prizes in the above order, were donated by Messrs Buck & Howson, D. C. Jones, J. Naismith & Co., E. E. McIntosh, H. W. Reeves, P. Gillespie.

The music supplied by the High River orchestra gave great satisfaction. Special mention must be made of Mr. Jack Sigler, who donated his services to the orchestra, playing the saxophone. The thanks of the committee are due to Messrs W. O. Torgerson, E. M. Clark, H. C. Jacques, R. Robbie and W. J. Morton for their services given during the evening.

The net proceeds of the dance were \$175.75.

GREAT BRITAIN'S WAR SAVINGS CAMPAIGN

War Savings Certificates were first placed on sale in Great Britain on February 22nd, 1916. Between that date and January 18, 1919 inclusive, 287,030,200 Certificates were sold. These represented \$1,435,151,000. Of this amount the redemptions amount to probably a little over 4 per cent.

The sales by years are as follows:
1916 Certificates sold .. 54,394,053
1917 .. 82,935,268
1918 .. 140,761,865

As the financial year does not end until March 31, it is quite probable that the sales during the present fiscal year will exceed those of last by over 30 per cent. That the sale of certificates is continuing strong may be seen in the fact that for the week ending Jan. 11, 1919, sales brought in \$11,500,000; while for that ending January 18 they were about \$17,000,000.

It should be borne in mind that while these millions of War Savings Certificates were being sold, the sale of National War Bonds reached the huge total of \$8,226,688,670. The sale of these bonds began on October 1st, 1917, and ended on January 18, 1919, which means that during the 68 weeks of the issue the average weekly sales amounted to \$120,000,000.

At first the sale of War Savings Certificates was attended with disappointing results, possibly because it was edged about by cumbersome restrictions. It was not until these were removed in June of 1916 that appreciable results were secured. Even though the War feeling has subsided the sale of Certificates continues to be very brisk, 3,428,191 having been sold during the week ending January 18, which average, if maintained, would double the sales for 1917.

Alex. Ross recently made some startling statements in the Legislature in regard to the franchise between the city of Calgary and the Gas Company. He alleged that the company was not holding to their agreement in that they had two copies of the agreement with the city. This said the speaker, cost the gas consumers a lot of money every year. Other members of the legislature agreed that an investigation was essary.

During the present cold snap citizens of Calgary have been suffering from the cold and the mayor has issued an appeal to owners of drays that they assist in carting coal.

NEXT LYCEUM MARCH 13th

The next Lyceum entertainment will be given in the Community Theatre on Thursday, March 13th, by the Beverley Entertainers. The company is composed of talented young ladies who provide an entertainment of songs and instrumental music. Their programme has given the greatest satisfaction wherever they have appeared, and it is one more feather in the cap of the local committee that they have been able to secure so talented a company to appear here.

INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF TRIP TO EUROPE

Del McQueen Writes of Experiences While Crossing The Atlantic

Now that the rigid censorship regarding experiences at sea has been lifted, it is possible for those who have travelled between Canada and Europe to give some idea of their experiences. A splendid description of a voyage has been received by Mr. and Mrs. McQueen, from their son who is at present in England. His letter, in part, is as follows:

"I never told you of my trip over. We left Halifax on Sunday afternoon at about three o'clock, and it was with a kind of a little lump in my throat that I watched the hills of Canada disappear. The boat that we came over on was not a bad tub as far as sailing goes, and she rolled along pretty nicely. We were in a big convoy with about seven ships all loaded with troops, a big oil steamer and a big battle cruiser sailing ahead of us. It was one of the U. S. navy. The first few days I was out went fine. The weather was great and I certainly enjoyed myself, until one morning I woke up and the sea was pretty heavy. I tried to walk to the washhouse, and I could hardly make it. Well, I got sick, I should have told you that we were in the bowels of the ship and the stink was rotten. It was worse than a bunch of cattle all hemmed in. The grub was not fit for a good healthy dog in Alberta to eat, and so we were both sick, and when we did have a feeling that we could eat a little the look of the stuff was enough.

Nothing happened out of the way on the boat. We were prepared for it in case anything did come up. We had to wear our lifebelts all the time and I even slept in my clothes, which was a precaution, but not necessary. We sailed along for a week, and every time I went on deck there were the other ships around us with the cruiser sailing on ahead. The eighth day out we began to hear a lot of rumours as to where we were going to land. I heard that we would land in Glasgow, and then in Liverpool. The same day two aeroplanes came right down alongside the ship and we could see the exhaust pipe of the engine. Then a balloon came out and remained with us. It was a spotter for subs. We were coming around the north coast of Ireland in the sub zone.

I should have told you that just before we saw the aeroplanes our escort turned around and started for America and we thought we were going to have to go through the dangers of the sub zone without a fighting ship, but the next time I went on deck there were fifteen small torpedo boats buzzing around like a bunch of bees.

The next morning we got up and could see land again. It was a big rock near the coast of Ireland. Talk about a grand and glorious feeling, it was the best I had for some time. We knew then where we would land. We were coming into the mouth of the river Clyde and began going up to Glasgow. You can talk about your pretty trips and all that, but before you can say anything at all about scenery, you have to take that trip in the Spring of the year."

The Beverley entertainers are the next on the Lyceum program, coming here March 13th. Do not miss them. Single admission \$1.25.

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All copy for advertisements must be in the office not later than 6 p.m. on Monday if they are to appear in the issue of that week.

General Commercial Printing

A CASE FOR DAYLIGHT SAVING

From recent reports it appears that the Daylight Saving scheme is knocking on the head in the United States, and the reason given for this is that the strong opposition from the farmers forced its removal.

The experience with Daylight Saving in Canada has been just the same all the opposition to it has come from the farmers. Shall Canada, therefore, do away with it?

As a matter of economy Daylight Saving is well worth while. There is no reason for supposing that because it does not suit the farmers it does not suit other people and is therefore good for nothing. Farmers are one class of workers, but there are others, even in an agricultural country. They may grumble at the idea, but we venture to state that not fifty per cent of the farmers in this district even troubled to alter their clocks or watches while the idea was in force. So they had little or nothing to kick about if the difference it made to them was negligible as to require no second thought.

But if the farmer saw no good in it, there are others who did, for all classes of business saved expense by having to avail themselves of an extra hour of daylight when they would otherwise have to burn and pay for artificial light. Therefore it is hardly fair to consider the merits of Daylight Saving from the point of agriculture alone. Other people should receive due consideration too.

ROBERT STEAD GOES EAST

Those people who live in the West and know Robert J. C. Stead, or have read his books will bear with regret of his removal to Ottawa. He is the type of man of which the West stands in need, and by his departure the West is the poorer. We are even too jealous to regard the East with favor because of its gain.

It is as a writer of good fiction that Mr. Stead has endeared himself to the West. Through the novels he has written he has portrayed the life of the West in a convincing and life-like manner; through them others could see us as we really were, not the men of wild and woolly exterior and very little else, but people of heart and imagination who lived life for the joy and the vitality of it, and every ounce of it, and perhaps every

dollar too, for that matter. And it was through the works of Mr. Stead that we were realizing just in what proportion we had the joy and the vitality on the one hand and the capacity for the dollar one the other. We were learning to think more of the former and less of the latter.

The West was both his school and his subject, and by his removal we are going to lose one of the best writers that not only the West, but Canada has produced. Mr. Stead will go far in the literary world, and we should like to have seen him do it here, with us, but as events have called him elsewhere, we can still wish him a growing success in the sphere he has chosen.

THE EUROPEAN NEEDS FOR MEATS

H. S. Arkell, Dominion Live Stock Commissioner, who has been despatched to England in connection with the situation developed overseas in connection with the export of meats and other animal products from this continent, has been identified with the live stock industry of Canada for many years and has the confidence of all those with whom he has been associated, or with whom he has come into contact during this period. He will be able to supply the authorities over there the latest direct information as to the conditions on this side and back up representations made by the Canadian Cabinet Ministers with this problem, and endeavor to develop whatever channels that may open towards the re-establishment of the import trade in Canadian animal products.

In a statement issued by the Minister of Agriculture it was emphasized that the present difficulty is due solely to the sudden termination of the war which found Britain with large reserve stocks on hand provided as a margin of safety should the these stocks are distributed it is confidently expected the demand for our live stock products will be resumed and continue for many years.

The present problem is to arrange credits for the purchase of supplies on the continent of Europe where, undoubtedly a great shortage of meats and fats exists. Once peace is signed and stable governments set up in the countries now in the turmoil of reconstruction, there is no doubt that our export trade in meats and animal products will enter into a period of great development.

CANADIAN RED CROSS HAS EXTENSIVE PROGRAMME

That the Red Cross Society might be made of the greatest possible value to the Canadian people in time of peace and that the work of the Red Cross, with all it has inspired of service and devotion, must be turned to account in the future National Life of Canada, was the sentiment expressed by the Central Council of the Society in its recent session at Toronto.

The public have only to review the tremendous work along public health and welfare lines accomplished by the American Red Cross Society during the past few years, through their

Home Service Branch, to realize the great field of endeavor which lies before the Red Cross in Peace as well as in war. The Halifax disaster, as well as the recent influenza epidemic, in which the Province of Alberta alone, supplies to the value of some \$25,000 were distributed to the emergency hospitals, have shown the necessity of having an active organization prepared at all times to meet with emergencies. The meeting of the Central Council was an unusually representative one, members being present from all parts of the Dominion. The deliberations of the Council extended over two days and were of the utmost importance as bearing upon the future work and policy of the Society.

One is glad to know that the Provincial Police Commission is abolished and that the police will be under the supervision of the Attorney-General's department. We may see some betterment all round.

Canada lost one of her greatest men when Sir Wilfred Laurier passed away last week. For all time his name will stand in the foremost rank of those who have done much for Canada.

Irrigation is at present a very live subject. It also has the advantage of being a wet one.

Dr. W. A. Riddell, Ontario's doctor, makes the assertion that alien enemies are being dumped into the West. If this is so the returned men may have something to say eventually, and what they say will not make very good reading, either.

Now that discoveries of fuel oil have been made in England there is an opening for some of our Alberta oil talent, so long quiescent under the lull in operations. Their advent in the old land would greatly add to the joy of life over there.

Already the fruits of victory are apparent in Great Britain, the Government having decided to release an additional fifty per cent of spirits for public consumption.

LIEUT. GOVERNOR BRETT BACKS THRIFT CAMPAIGN

Once the War Savings Movement is Understood Canada Will Respond As Heartily as During War

Lieut. Governor Brett is one of the pioneers of Alberta, who has been prominent in the many phases of western life. Than he the War Savings Campaign has no heartier supporter, for he sees that it means a long step forward in the solving of many industrial and financial problems. He says:

"If we wish to sell our grain abroad this year, we must prepare to finance ourselves. If the returning soldiers are to be placed on the land, we must be prepared to finance them, and these finances we must provide ourselves. We cannot go outside of Canada for funds as we used to, for the outside money will be needed for reconstruction problems abroad. We simply have to be far more self-supporting and self-financing than we have ever been.

"The Thrift and War Stamps offer a plan by which everyone in Canada may help if the support of the plan is unanimous, Canada will become one of the most prosperous countries in the world and the economic and reconstruction difficulties that now loom so large will be wiped out.

"The Government could go to the banks and the big financial institutions and get the money that it is hoped to realize through the Thrift and War Savings investments; but this policy would retard Canada's agricultural and commercial development. The money held by the banks and other financial institutions will be needed to the last cent for the expansion of industry and the development of trade with other countries. If this expansion does not take place Canada will be slow to recover from the financial shock of the war. If there is expansion, if Canada's trade is built up, if this becomes a more important exporting country in respect to manufactured goods as well as to grain, livestock, and foodstuffs generally, then Canada's recovery will be quick and prosperity will be inevitable.

"A successful Thrift and War Stamp campaign will assure in large measure such expansion, and I am sure that once the objects are understood, Canadians will respond as they did to the call for troops, for Victory Loan support and for support of every other worthy cause."

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—George W. Russell



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C. D. MACKINTOSH, Supt.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the estate of Ernest LeRoy McAfee, late of Reid Hill, Alberta, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said Ernest LeRoy McAfee, who died on the 8th day of November 1918, are required to file with the undersigned Solicitor for the Administration of his estate by the 12th day of March 1919, a full statement duly verified, of their claims, and any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to her knowledge.

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:: OF FARM INTERET ::

EXPRESS INCREASE HITS CREAM SHIPPERS BLOW

Proposed increases in the express rates to be charged on cream shipments will be one of the subjects which will likely be touched on at the forthcoming dairy convention in Calgary. The matter has been taken up very energetically by the Edmonton Board of Trade and the committee on agricultural development has presented to the Board a very interesting report in which is summarized the rates which were charged in the United States, up to the first of this year, with the present rate in Canada and the increase. With the new rates effective the committee estimates that the loss to the shippers of Alberta would be \$200,000 a year. The report says:

It is pointed out that while at the greater distances the proposed new rate is only slightly more than double the present rate, at the shorter distances, from which most of the cream comes, the advance is very much greater. For instance, the present rate of 20 cents for 25 miles and under and 26 cents for 25 to 50 miles are advanced to 70 cents, the latter being the lowest rate under the proposed scale. This means that Bowden and Penhold, respectively 8 and 9 miles from Innisfail, will pay the same rate into the creamery at that point as will Morinside, 46 miles. Cream shipped into Edmonton from St. Albert, 10 miles, or Ellerslie, 8 miles, would pay the same as from Lac Ste. Anne or Hobbema; and more than was formerly paid for a distance of 250 miles.

An 8 gallon can of cream, weighing 100 lbs., contains on the average about 22 1/2 lbs of butter fat. The increase in rate on the present lowest distance from 20 cents to 70 cents would therefore represent a reduction in the value of cream to the farmer of approximately 2 1/2 cents a pound on the butter fat. At over 100 miles this would be more than 2 1/2 cents. At over 150 miles it would mean a loss to the farmer of over 3 cents a pound; and at any distance over 200 miles it means over 4 cents a pound.

In the following tabulation which is summarized from the Edmonton report, there are slight variations in the distances—sometimes of five or ten miles; the American rate is on a 10-gal. can. Since the first of the year the rate across are line has been increased 25 per cent. The present Canadian rate is on an 8-gal. can, and the proposed new rate on 100 lbs.

Miles	U.S. Rate 10-gal. Can.	Canadian Old	Canadian New
25 or less	20c	20c	70c
25 to 50	20c-25	26c	70c
50 to 80	26c-28c	31c	85c
80 to 90	29c	36c	1.05
100 to 160	31c-34c	46c	1.05
160 to 205	35c-37	56c	1.20
205 to 250	38c-40	66c	1.45
250 to 310	41c-44c	76c	1.60
310 to 340	45c-46c	86c	1.80
340 to 400	47c-50	96c	1.95

—Market Examiner

SAY WORK IS WASTED

Plowing operations which were carried on during the past dry Fall are strongly condemned in an article issued by the Dominion Experimental Farms' officials. They say unless the season is unusually favorable as to early rains this land will not produce a paying crop this year, and will be more difficult to bring into condition for 1920 than if it had been left until this spring. The moral of this article is that there is a time for all things—but the Western farmers' ideas are to do them whenever you can.

The article concludes as follows: Another instance where lack of timeliness resulted in a loss may be cited as in the case of the farmer in Central Alberta who in 1917 sowed Red Fife wheat after the middle of May. This wheat gave splendid promise, but owing to the late date when seeded, and to the fact that a variety was selected which was not suitable to the section in which it was grown, the crop was frost-killed. The grower blamed the climate.

CANADA'S BACON EXPORTS

As shown by a summary of the trade of Canada during the past three years, issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, the exportation of Canadian bacon amounted in 1916 to 184,873,591 pounds, valued at \$36,107,721; in 1917, the bacon exports increased to 227,538,105 pounds, worth \$57,313,904, and last year 110,131,946 pounds valued at \$34,845,125 were exported.

CRESTON IS GOING AHEAD VERY FAST

A part of British Columbia that is beginning to loom large in the matter of fruit production is the Creston Valley, of which the town of Creston is the centre. While for a number of years Creston Valley strawberries have been favorably known throughout Southern Alberta the year 1918 sees this favored section taking a prominent place in apple production, with a total export of almost 70,000 while enormous strides forward have also been made in other lines such as peaches, pears, plums, etc. In tomatoes the crop of last year ran to over 16,000 crates of the ripe sort, and another 4,000 of green, while in potatoes just under 400 tons were shipped to prairie points. The yield of strawberries, which was below normal owing to a dry spell in the middle of the season, was over 10,000 crates, while 7,000 crates of raspberries were also shipped. In the matter of free fruits the valley is almost in its infancy as only 30 per cent of the 2,000 acres planted to fruit trees is as yet bearing. To convince of the quality of Creston apples the Board of Trade of that town has favored the Times with half a box of three winter varieties, which for size, color, flavor and keeping qualities are certainly second to none. In addition to its orchards, Creston valley ranchers also show wisdom in seeing to it that dairying, poultry and cattle raising are not neglected. According to figures supplied that point shipped 200 head of beef cattle last year, as well as 5,800 gallons of cream and milk to the creamery at Nelson, and exported 6,000 dozen of eggs. Bee-keeping also gets its share of attention and Creston's 1918 shipment of honey ran almost to three tons. Creston is blessed with a climate that sees the minimum of cold weather, but an abundant snow and rainfall that renders irrigation unnecessary. Possibly Creston Valley's best asset is its close proximity to the prairie market. Strawberries loaded at Creston to-day reach even as far as Edmonton in time to be sold for supper consumption the following evening.

CALGARY SPRING BULL SALE IN MARCH

Prize lists for the Spring Horse Show, which is to be held in Calgary during the last week of March, are now being mailed. "We expect to be able to have an old-time horse show this year, such as we had before the war," Manager Richardson said in speaking of this event. The program gives promise of exceptional entertainment, and many have already exhibited much interest in the show.

The Bull Sale

Entries are also beginning to come in for the spring bull sale, which is to be held the second week in April. The management expect that from 750 to 1000 bulls will be offered for sale during this week making the event as big or bigger than last year which was the largest bull sale ever held heretofore in any part of the world.

After the erection of the new equipment which is being planned at present Mr. Richardson hopes to be able to hold the spring horse show and bull sale at the same time.

WHY HATCH EARLY?

By H. W. Sanborn
Early hatching means more vigorous chicks.
Early hatching means more chicks raised.
Early hatching means chicks less troubled with lice and disease.
Early hatching means a longer growing season.
Early hatching means better grown chicks.
Early hatching means better prices for the surplus and for cockerels marketed as broilers.
Early hatching means well matured pullets which begin to lay in the Fall.
Early hatching means eggs from the pullets while the hens are moulting.
Early hatching means eggs in the Fall and Winter when prices are highest.

—Farmers' Magazine

CANADA'S BUTTER EXPORTS

In 1916 Canada exported 7,713,265 pounds of butter, valued at \$2,377,740 in 1917, 4,008,186 pounds, valued at \$1,572,438, and in 1918, 9,731,500 lbs. valued at \$4,274,606, as shown by a summary of Canadian trade during the last three years, compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, from the data of the Department of Trade and Commerce.

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Two Geldings, rising 3 years old	Team, Mare and Gelding, 6 and 7 years old, weight 2,500 lbs.
Three Fillies, rising 2 years old	Team, Mare and Gelding, 6 and 9 years old, weight 2,600 lbs.
Gelding, rising 2 years old	Team Bay Mares, 10 years old, weight 2,700 lbs.
Six Colts, rising 1 year old	Team Bay Mares, 10 years old, weight 2,700 lbs.
Three Mares, rising 4 years old	Team Bay Geldings, 4 and 6 years old, weight 2,800 lbs.
Two Geldings, rising 4 years old	Team Brown Geldings, 6 and 8 years old, weight 2,600 lbs.
Driving Mare	Pinto Gelding, 9 years old, weight 1,150 lbs.
Team Black Mares, 7 and 9 year	Grey Gelding, 8 years old, weight 1,350 lbs.
Brown Mare 8 years old, weight 1250 lbs.	Registered Standard Bred Stallion
Bay Mare, 8 years old, weight 1400 lbs.	Three Milch Cows
Bay Mare, 12 years old, weight 1350 lbs.	Yearling Bull
Brown Gelding, 12 years old, weight 1450 lbs.	REGISTERED CLYDE STALLION, "Prince of Winton Hill" 16989; Sire, Selborne (Imp) (8564) (14363); Dam, Bessie May (4243)
Grey Gelding, 7 years old, weight 1500 lbs.	
Team Geldings, 10 and 11 years old, weight 3,000 lbs.	
Team Geldings, 6 and 7 years old, weight 2,600 lbs.	

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Cockshutt Engine Gang, 5 bottom with 4 breaker bottoms	Oliver Gang, 14 in. stubble Plough.
Three Sets Adams Sleighs, 2 1/2 inches.	P. & O. Disc Plough, 30 in. 3 bottom.
Ten Sets Harness.	Imperial Breaker Gang, 12 in. Lever Harrow, 4 section.
Ford Roadster, 1917.	Boss Wooden Harrow.
Two Sets Tudhope Anderson Sleighs, 2 and 2 1/2 inches.	Two Harrow Carts.
Adams Wagon, 4-in cast skein.	McCormick Mower, 5 foot.
Two Adams Wagons, 3 1/4 in. Steel Skrin.	Deering Rake, 12 foot.
Weber Wagon, 3 1/2 in. steel skein	Fanning Mill, 42 inch
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OFFICIAL CANADA PAYS TRIBUTE TO LATE PREMIER

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Official Canada gathered at the memorial museum which is the temporary headquarters of the Canadian parliament, but even that spacious building was unable to accommodate all the representatives who had congregated to do honor to the late Liberal leader, Sir Wilfred Laurier.

Recognizing this, the Great War Veterans' Association and the purely unofficial societies remained outside. The scene inside was remarkable for the orderliness which prevailed. Perfect arrangements had been made for the reception of the delegates and members of the parliament, special rooms having been assigned to each special body.

Among the rank and file of members of the commons were a number of ex-ministers and ex-members, including Hon. Sidney Fisher, Hon. George P. Graham, Hon. W. L. MacKenzie-King, Premier Martin of Sas. Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. Dr. Beland, Hon. Frank Oliver and others. There were over 300 senators, members of parliament and ex-members in the procession.

Outside the building the arrangements were also perfectly carried out. Half an hour before the official representatives left the building the wreaths and flowers which had surrounded the catafalque in the commons was removed and placed on 10 large sleighs drawn by magnificent horses which had been provided by the public works department.

Following the blood relatives of the deceased came Gen. G. Watkin, representing the Duke of Connaught, and lieutenant-governors of the provinces.

Representatives of religious denominations in the procession were confined to non-Roman Catholic Clergy, the others being assembled at the church. When the members of parliament had assembled in the hall, Speaker Rhodes, preceded by Major Bowie, the sergeant-at-arms carrying the mace, led the way, and a long file of mourners commenced to move up Metcalfe street in the direction of the basilica. Then came the mayors of the Canadian cities and towns and their representatives. Prominent in the cortege were Mr. Henri Bourassa and Col. Armand Lavergne.

At the funeral services in the basilica, Archbishop Mathieu, of Regina, speaking in French said:

"He has gone to the tribunal of God to render account of his life, and impartial history will tell of his great qualities of mind and heart. But he is not dead. The soul of Sir Wilfred Laurier lives in a better world."

Mgr. Mathieu referred to the high esteem in which Sir Wilfred was held by all sections of the community, the sincere homage paid to his memory.

Sir Wilfred, Mgr. Mathieu went on loved his country and he loved it passionately. He gave his whole life to it up to the last minute. He loved his fellow-countrymen and tried to bring them together in concord and harmony.

"He understood," Mgr. Mathieu went on, "and tried to make others understand, that we are not born to hate each other, but to love each other. He was convinced and tried to convince others that we in Canada should be united in one heart and with the same devotion."

One of the German long seige guns which shelled Paris, has been taken over by the French government.

A caucus of Liberal members of parliament at Ottawa, which met on Monday to discuss the party policy decided that control of party be in hands of committee with Jas. A. Robb as chairman.

British Columbia's new deputy minister of agriculture is "Dave" Warnock, ex-M.P. for Southern Alberta constituency. Dr. Warnock for most of the time during the war was in the time since the war began has been connected with the veterinary department of the British remount commission. He should make a good deputy minister.

With a two per cent exchange rate against Canada this is the time when it pays to borrow money in New York. Manitoba sold a million of bonds there the other day for which the buyers paid \$980,000. This amount of American money transferred to Winnipeg was worth the million. Some financing.

The funeral of the late Sir Wilfred Laurier took place on Saturday last and the people of the entire Dominion mourn the loss of a great statesman and a thorough going Canadian.

Ten men were arrested in Philadelphia on Monday, suspected of being implicated in a plot to assassinate President Wilson.

SOLDIERS DON'T WANT CHARITY

Any attempt to exploit the labor of returned soldiers in the interest of that or this business, through sentimental appeals to the general public, should be resisted and refused. There have been numerous cases in which use has been made of soldier agents and canvassers, and in which the employers have frankly presumed upon the sympathy which the average individual would have for a man who had served overseas and was now reduced to making a living by introducing such and such an article with a request please to buy. Usually, the scheme works, too.

The soldiers' organizations are opposed to this kind of thing, and in Ontario some of the Great War Veterans' associations have passed resolutions appealing for the suppression of the soldier canvasser. It is the feeling of these bodies that firms utilizing soldiers to play upon the sympathies of the public are doing a mis-

chief rather than a benefit to the soldiers themselves.

Canadian fighting men do not want either to earn their livelihood in any way that presumes upon the sentiment of the public. They desire to be dealt with on a business basis, and not to be put in a position where they are likely to be considered nuisances.

Colonel Innes, of the Board which will determine the qualifications of returned men to take up land under the government scheme states that when a man is married he will have to secure a declaration from his wife that she is satisfied to go farming and his prepared to stay with it. This is a wise rule. The interests and the inclination of the wife should be considered, and a venture in which she is unwilling partner is not likely to turn out well.

President Wilson was given a fine welcome upon his arrival at Boston on Monday, from France.

PROVINCIAL ITEMS

Mrs. J. H. Chandler has sold her home place, consisting of three quarters of a section to Ed. Koch, at \$58 per acre, cash. Mrs. Chandler is arranging a big sale of stock and implements, on March 5th.

We understand that Mrs. Cornelius Coughlin intends selling her holdings in the Nanton district, consisting of some 2500 acres of farm and ranch land.

Professor W. J. Elliott of Olds agricultural school, has accepted a position with the United Grain Growers, Ltd., as head of the livestock department.

Provincial bond sales in Canada in January totalled \$5,625,000, the greater part of which was sold in the United States.

Roumania is to get \$25,000,000 credit in Canada, which will be divided among foodstuffs, raw materials and manufactured articles. This will help out Canada a little.

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AUCTION SALE

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Owing to the condition of the weather and the roads, the Sale to be held by JACK TOMPSON and CO., at their farm, Section 9-19-25, w. 4th M., Nine miles East of Blackie, on Monday February 24th, has been postponed until

MONDAY MARCH 3rd,

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JACK TOMPSON, Auctioneer

J. F. Casteel, Clerk

DISTRICT NEWS

CAYLEY NEWS

The annual Sunday School meeting which was to be held last Friday night in the Methodist Church has been postponed on account of bad roads and cold weather.

Sunday last Rev. Irving held the service in the Presbyterian Hall in the morning. Rev. McWilliams left on Saturday night for Nanton on the train and returned on Monday morning. Owing to the heavy snowfall Rev. McWilliams and Rev. Irving were unable to use their cars to attend the country appointments.

Mr. Frank Elves has only received about \$35 towards the Armenian and Syrian Relief Funds. Please don't overlook these worthy causes.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wickens had a very sick baby last week. The baby being apparently well was suddenly taken with convulsions. There was difficulty in securing medical aid, but on the following morning medical assistance was obtained and with careful treatment little Patricia soon got better. Now the baby is quite well again.

Mr. Hodgson is now managing the Cayley hotel. The service given under the new management is first-class and the meals served are excellent. Try your luck at the Cayley Hotel some day when you are good and hungry.

Jack Cohen has returned from Calgary and is staying around Cayley again.

A great quantity of hay is being shipped in. Some of it is of extremely poor quality. The prices for prairie hay vary from \$12 to \$22. Good Timothy hay is sold for \$25 to \$30 per ton.

The farmers ought to remember that hay containing a large percentage of dead grass, that is grass from the preceding years that had not been cut, has not the feeding value of good cuts or barley straw and some of it cannot even reach the equal of good green wheat straw.

Mr. Hugh Johnson was sent to the Convention of the Social, Moral, and Temperance Reform League in Calgary last week. He went as a delegate of both churches.

We hear that Mr. Beggall has rented one half section belonging to Mr. W. Brewster for this coming crop year. We wish that Mr. Beggall may meet with good success. Mr. W. Brewster is going to work the remainder of the farm himself. Even though farming Mr. Beggall and family intend to live in town.

Mr. Ingle is dealing for the rent of a farm 7 miles east of Nanton.

Mrs. Brown has been seriously ill this last week. We are all wishing her a quick recovery.

NEWS FROM BLACKIE

There are 5,000 Poles living in Alberta who have asked the Government to recognize them as British subjects. They presented a very good case in defence of their right to be counted as friends and it is only fair that they be given credit for what they are and what they have done.

"What perfectly lovely husbands these returning soldiers who have learned to obey orders are going to make," remarks an Exchange.

"John Barleycorn's last order will be a big" said a Dinton man the other day.

A short time ago we read that the Agricultural Department at Washington reported on the farms—44,399,000 cattle, an increase of 287,000 over last year; it reported 49,863,000 sheep an increase of 1,260,000; and 75,587,000 hogs, an increase of more than 4,600,000. And all the while the American consumer pays from 50 to 60 cents a pound for ham and bacon, as if there wasn't a hog on earth.

The weather of the past week has been the "real old sort" brand and business houses report a quiet business in the interval.

Owing to the condition of the weather and the roads, Jack Tompson postponed the date of his sale on Section 9-19-25, from February 24, to Monday, March 3rd. On that date everything will be sold. Do not overlook the date.

A 10-20 Titan Tractor and Plow was delivered last week to Mr. Isaac Laycraft by Robt. Wilkinson, the Blackie Implement Man.

Jack Tompson sold one of his farms on the Arrow-wood recently.

Several prominent Oddfellows of Blackie attended the Grand Lodge at Calgary last week and took part in the deliberations of that body. All report a very successful and interesting session.

We hear that W. Dickenson has become a benedict. If the report is correct we offer congratulations.

BRANT NEWS

J. A. Kelly and G. H. Kelly motored to High River on Friday.

Brant orchestra played for a dance at Dinton Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Edwards are the proud parents of a ten-pound baby boy. Born February 20th, 1919. E. J. Donnelly and J. D. Edwards motored to High River on Friday.

Ben Fay says that Grandpa Eversman will have to get another set of boxing gloves to train his grandson.

The ladies of the Brant Church served supper in the Brant Hotel on Friday evening. Clearing something over \$50.00. A very enjoyable evening was spent by those present.

HIGH RIVER LOCALS

Mr. A. Leonard of the Little Bow District sold the old T. B. Leonard half section to Mr. Fred Seucey.

An interesting letter from Pte. Ed. McIntosh, written from Germany, will be published in the Times shortly.

Rev. H. E. Gordon is preaching a series of very practical sermons on Sunday mornings to the adults and to the boys and girls. "Sticking up for each other" will be the subject of the address on Sunday morning, and the talk to the boys and girls will be about "The Hurrah Boy."

Rev. H. D. Marr, of Calgary, secretary of the Canadian Bible Society will be in High River on his annual visit on Sunday, March 2nd. He will preach in Chalmers Church at 11:30. In the evening at 7:30 he will address a Union congregation in the Methodist Church, in the interests of the Bible Society. After which a business meeting will be held. This is a most worthy cause and should have the co-operation of all.

The L.O.O.F. dance tomorrow evening, February 28th, will be a successful event if weather permits. The committees are prepared for a good crowd and promise all a very enjoyable function.

The heavy fall of snow last week made it impossible for motor traffic and those who had sleighs were lively for it was the only safe means of transportation for several days.

What about that Estray animal on your farm. Advertise the same in the Times and thus comply with the law.

There are many farmers around Blackie who have seed grain for sale. Why not advertise the fact in the Times and let your neighbors know where they can purchase their supply of seed.

Now that the military authorities all over the Dominion are to launch a campaign against bootleggers that business will become unpopular.

That hotel fire in a Quebec village recently where eight people lost their lives is a warning to all villages without proper fire fighting appliances. In case of a bad fire is the Blackie fire fighting appliance ready for an emergency? We hope so.

Hubert Hill Wilson, sec.-trans. of the Municipal District has been gazetted a Justice of the Peace.

Mr. J. S. McRobbie was in Calgary on Friday last attending the Blacksmith Convention. He reports a very excellent gathering of the "brain and brawn" of the Province. The organization is just one year old and is developing into a very healthy institution.

A Bill which provides for the collection of taxes will be introduced in the House this session. By this legislation there must be a tax sale in every city, town and municipality every year. The Minister of Municipal Affairs says: "We must get down to rock bottom. We must do business on business principles. Men should know by this time whether or not they can hold the land which they own. If they cannot hold it, it is time they let it go."

Sergt. Warren Kennedy of the 50th Batt. was united in marriage to Miss Katie Monkman, of High River, at Calgary, on Tuesday, February 21st, by the Rev. Mr. Hillocks. Numerous friends in town and district unite in extending the happy couple congratulations.

John Deere and Cockshutt implements and repairs will be stocked.

The Hall meeting held in Blackie on Saturday of last week was very well attended by the people of the district. Addresses were delivered by Mr. Malcolm, Mr. Trego, Mr. S. Brown and S. Fox, and the local men presented the case so clearly and convincingly that there was nothing more to be said on the matter by Mr. Malcolm, the Government representative. Mr. Brown's speech was much appreciated by those present.

Douglas Holmes will henceforth manage the implement business at Brant for Robt. Wilkinson. I. H. C.

Auction Sale

Having received instructions from Mrs. J. H. Chandler, administratrix for the estate of the late J.H. Chandler, I will sell at Public Auction on the

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| 1 team Grey and Black Geldings 7 and 8 year old, 3000 lbs. | 1 Bay Mare, 9 years, 1600 lbs. |
| 1 team Bay Geldings, 4-year-old, 2800 lbs. | 1 Grey Mare, 12 years, 1300 lbs. |
| 1 team Bay Geldings, 4 and 5-year-old, 3200 lbs. | 1 Bay Mare, 7 years, 1500 lbs. |
| 1 team Grey Mares, 7 and 8 year-old, 2600 lbs. | 1 Bay Mare, 9 years, 1500 lbs. |
| 1 Bay Gelding, 9-year-old, 1400 | 1 Bay Mare, 7-year-old, 1300 lb. |
| 1 Buckskin Gelding, 7-year-old 1400 lbs. | 1 Grey Gelding, 10 years, 1200 lbs. |
| 1 Brown Mare, 10-year-old, 1500 lbs. | 1 Buckskin Gelding, 7 years, 1100 |
| 1 Brown Gelding, 9-year-old, 1300 lbs. | 1 Bay Mare (in foal) 8 years, 900 |
| 1 Grey Mare, 9-year-old, 1500 lb | 1 Brown Saddle Horse, 7 years, 900 |
| 1 Black Gelding, 9-year-old, 1300 lbs. | 1 Sorrel Saddle Horse, 7 years, 900 |
| 3 Good Milk Cows and 2 Calves | 1 Grey Saddle Mare, 5 years 800 lbs |
| | 8 4-year-olds (2 mares, 6 geldings heavy bone, |
| | 13 2-year-olds, (6 mares, 7 geldings) heavy bone. |
| | 8 Yearlings and 7 Weaners. |
| | 2 Shetland Pony Mares, in foal perfectly matched; with harness and buggy. |
| | Ducks, Geese and 200 Chickens |

HEAVY FARM MACHINERY

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| 1 30-60 New Rumely Oil-Pull Engine, subject to reserved bid, and terms which will be announced at time of sale. | 10-Bottom Rumely Stubble Engine Gang. |
| 1 30-60 Rumely Oil-Pull, in good repair. | 1 20x36 Sawyer-Massey Separator in good repair. |
| 1 34x56 Buffalo Pitts Separator, with extension feeder, in good repair. | 1 10x20 Waterloo Boy Tractor. |
| 8-Bottom Cockshutt Breaker Engine Gang. | 1 10x20 Titan Tractor. |
| | 1 12x25 C.O.D. Tractor. |
| | 1 P. & O. 3-Bottom Stubble Gang (new) |
| | 1 Case 3-Bot. Breaker Gang, new |
| | 1 La Crosse 3 Bot. Stubble Gang. |

Terms on the above Heavy Farm Machinery: One-third cash, balance November 1, 1919, on approved notes, together with interest at 8 per cent. or 7 per cent discount for cash on credit amounts

FARM MACHINERY

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| 1 450-gal. Rumely Steel Oil Tank with truck, new. | 8 Wagons with Grain Tanks. |
| 1 New Wood Water Tank with Truck, new. | 10 3 1/2 Climax Trucks, new. |
| 1 Steel Oil Tank and Water Tank with Trucks. | 4 Light Wagons. |
| 2 Cook Cars, thoroughly equipped, with Trucks. | 1 Heavy Dray. |
| 1 Bunk Car with Truck. | 3 Wagon Boxes. |
| 1 Engine Hitch, 44-ft. long; 1 Engine Hitch, 30-ft. long. | 1 Democrat. |
| 2 300 gal. Steel Oil Tanks. | 1 Cart. |
| 2 Fuel Oil Pumps. | 1 Buggy. |
| 1 24x30 2-hole tent, 6-ft. walls. | 10 Bundle Racks. |
| 1 10x12 6 ft. Wall Tent. | 5 1 1/2-horse Pump Engines and 4 Pump Jacks. |
| 1 8x10 3-ft. Wall Tent. | 2 Water Tanks. |
| 6 20-ft. Steel Drag Harrows. | 1 4-horse-power Engine for pump-ing or grinding. |
| 4 8-ft. Deering Binders. | 3 Heavy Chains, 24 to 40 ft. |
| 5 8-ft. McCormick Binders. | 15 12-ft. Log Chains. |
| 3 20-Single Disc McCormick Drills (new) | 2 Grain Picklers. |
| 1 20-Double Disc VanBrunt Press Drill. | 1 Fanning Mill. |
| 3 20-Double Disc Hoosier Press Drills. | 1 Blacksmith Outfit, complete. |
| 1 20-Double Disc Monitor Drill. | 2 Small Forges. |
| 3 8-ft. Engine Double Discs. | 1 Anvil. |
| 2 10-ft. Engine Double Discs. | 6 Jack Screws. |
| 1 8-ft. Single Disc, new. | 1 Full Set Carpenters Tools. |
| 1 6-ft. Massey-Harris Mower. | 1 Garden Cultivator. |
| 5 14-ft. John Deere Gangs, with breaker stubble bottoms. | 1 Hand Cultivator. |
| 2 14-ft. Cockshutt Gangs with breaker stubble bottoms. | 2 Harrow Carts. |
| 2 16-ft. John Deere Sulkies, brkrs. | 9 Sets Breaching Harness. |
| 1 16-ft. P. & O. Sulky, stubble. | 16 Sets Work Harness. |
| 1 12-ft. Breaker and Stubble Gang | 1 Set Democrat Harness. |
| 1 10-ft. Corrugated Land Packer. | 1 Single Harness. |
| 1 12-ft. Corrugated Land Packer. | 3 Stock Saddles. |
| 1 14-ft. Corrugated Land Packer. | 50 Collars. |
| 1 Land Floot, 16-ft. | 1 Set Power Horse Clippers. |
| | 1 Grindstone. |
| | 1 Harness Dipping Machine. |
| | Part Barrel of Harness. |
| | 75 Extra Plows. |
| | Doubletrees, Neckyokes, Forks, Scoops, Shovels, Rake, Lanterns, Barrels, Horse Blankets, Stock Salt in Barrels. |

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1000 BUSHELS OF OATS—CASH
AUCTIONEERS NOTE—This sale is being sold without reserve as Mrs. Chandler has sold the land and is discontinuing farming. There is a splendid lot of machinery in good repair, a lot of it nearly new. The horses are in good condition and ready for Spring work. There is also some splendid young horses.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

Arrangements have been made for Auto Transportation from Nanton on morning of Sale

Stock will be delivered to Nanton for outside purchasers for shipment free of charge

TERMS:—All sums, except heavy machinery, as above, \$25.00 and under cash; over that amount November 1, 1919, will be given on notes of approved security bearing 8 per cent interest from date, or 7 per cent discount off for cash on credit amounts.

W. D. RANSOM, Clerk.

G. H. LEGLER, Auctioneer

GENERAL TOPICS

Dangerous L. W. W. Arrested.—Fourteen members of the Spanish branch of the L.W.W. were arrested in New York by secret service men during a raid on Sunday night. Although charged with having seditious literature, it is believed that they were hatching a terrorist plot, one of the New York detectives stating that they had designs on the life of President Wilson.

Premier Forbidden to Speak.—Although recovering nicely from the effects of the attack upon him by an assassin last week, Premier Clemenceau has been forbidden by his physician to do any public speaking. The Premier had attempted to speak publicly but the effort left him very weak and retarded his progress toward health.

Manitoba's Debentures.—The Province of Manitoba has recently sold a million dollars worth of debentures in New York, receiving for them a record price. The Province receives a million dollars in cash in Winnipeg for a million dollars worth of five and a half per cent ten year bonds. One reason for the terms being so favorable is that there is a two per cent exchange rate. At the present time \$880,000 in New York is worth a million dollars in Winnipeg.

R. J. C. Stead is Honored.—Pending the removal of Mr. R. J. C. Stead to Ottawa, he was tendered a luncheon by the Calgary Board of Trade last Saturday, and a luncheon by the Canadian Club, Calgary, on Monday. Mr. Stead leaves for Ottawa this week, where he will enter the Department of Immigration.

Want Cheques by Registered Mail.—On account of various complaints that mail is going astray with pension cheques in, and therefore causing much inconvenience and suffering, the Calgary Veterans on Sunday passed a resolution at their meeting asking the pension department to send out all cheques by registered mail.

HENRY FORD IS PUTTING OUT A FINE NEWSPAPER

Great Demand for "Dearborn Independent," Weekly Edition Published in Detroit

Henry Ford's weekly, "The Dearborn Independent," is now on sale at every street corner in the motor city and it is "universal" in demand everywhere. Its success has been electric and it will continue, because Mr. Ford and his staff of writers have some vital things to say on vital topics. Canadians had a laugh when Ford was defeated for the United States senatorship, but taking it by and large, Detroit looks upon that event as a blot on the fair name of Michigan. With his influence, his brains, his money and his ideas of progress and righteousness, Henry Ford would have been a mighty power for advancement and general good. A look at his paper is sufficient to convince one of the fact.

In the current issue, he attacks in a constructive manner, the present scheme of society. "One of the most glaring mistakes," he says, "is to try to cover up the results of social faults by charity, instead of striking at the causes which make charity seem necessary. Charity at its best is only a makeshift. It is an endless patching of a garment that ought to be thrown away. Charity lowers the self-respect of the person who receives it, and it deadens the conscience of the person who gives it. It offers far too easy an escape from a harder job. We say we are sorry for the hungry man. How sorry are we? We are sorry enough to give him a little food. But are we sorry enough to go out and tackle the conditions that make hunger possible? We say we are sorry for the unemployed. Are we sorry enough to shoulder the job of demolishing unemployment from the land by a new and daring system of industrial advance?"

"It is easy enough to be sorry, and to ease our own sorrow by a trifling gift. For that is what we do in most of our makeshift charity—we simply ease our own pain at the sight of suffering. We get up fancy dances, we give theatricals, we make budgets and take up collections, we sell tickets for this and that from one year's end to the other; we undertake a little temporary benefit, and when we get through we haven't touched the real problem. Nothing seems more useless than the trouble we take to ease the effects, when half the trouble would serve to destroy the cause." Mr. Ford's statements do not refer to the charitable mind, but he believes that charity and sympathy are too often confused.

Those who have followed Mr. Ford's

Laurier Funeral Saturday.—The remains of the late Sir Wilfred Laurier were laid to rest on Saturday last at Ottawa, all official Canada being represented. It required ten large sleighs to bear the wreaths to the grave.

Town of Cardston Sued.—Judgment is reserved in the case of Salt vs. the town of Cardston. Ernest Salt is suing the town of Cardston for \$16,000 for damages sustained through coming in contact with a guy wire from an electric pole, the property of the Municipality. It was dark, and the horse ran up against the wire and threw its rider who sustained a broken hip and other injuries. The claim is made up of \$10,000 for loss of occupation and \$6,000 for general damages. Salt is now a cripple for life.

President Arrives in U. S.—The ship bearing President Wilson and his party from Europe reached Boston harbor early on Sunday evening. The party left for Washington on Sunday afternoon, arriving there on Tuesday morning. The President plans to return to Europe on the Washington about March 5th.

Demand Free Speech.—At a well attended meeting of the Trades and Labor Council, Calgary, held on Sunday the following resolution was unanimously passed: Whereas certain oppressive Orders-in-Council have been passed interfering with freedom of speech, curtailing the liberty of the press, making illegal the production, possession and circulation of great quantities of literature and withdrawing from offenders in such cases the ancient and valued right of trial by jury, Therefore be it resolved that this meeting of the citizens of Calgary, presided over by his worship the Mayor, demand of the Dominion Government the withdrawal of the said orders-in-council, and that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Prime Minister and to the Minister of Labor.

MILITARY CAN EASILY SQUELCH BOOTLEGGERS

Chief Cuddy Thinks Campaign Waged Thoroughly Would Be Successful

That bootleggers could be put out of business in this Province in a short time if the military authorities waged a campaign in a thoroughly systematic manner, as proposed by General H. D. B. Ketchen, of Winnipeg, is the opinion of Chief Cuddy, of the Calgary police force. He says that the majority of the men trafficking in liquor around this city have been extending their operations quite freely, for it is most difficult to get evidence against them.

The chief said that in the event of the military declaring war on the bootleggers and moonshiners of this province they may be assured of the unlimited support of the local police. He points out that a great deal of the trafficking is being done between the bootleggers and the soldiers, and it is impossible to get any of the men in khaki to give evidence against the illegal liquor vendors.

According to the announcement made by General Ketchen, the proposed campaign against the bootleggers will be dominion wide and instructions are speeding westward to the district commanding officers. The arrangements call for the appointment of special military police in each district, and persons caught selling liquor to soldiers will be prosecuted under the Dominion order-in-council passed recently. The penalties for this offence are very severe under the latest law passed.

—Calgary Herald.

BADEN POWELL IS COMING TO CANADA

Word has been received that Lieut. Gen. Sir Robert Baden-Powell, chief scout and founder of the Boy Scouts association, will visit Canada during the month of May next, accompanied by Lady Baden-Powell who is the chief guide of the girls' branch of the girls guides' association. This announcement was contained in a letter received by His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, chief scout of the boy scouts association in Canada.

The Vulcan Farmers Oil Company have gasoline for sale. Henry and Walker are agents for the company.

application of these ideas cannot doubt but what they are right ethically and morally. The soundness of the principal is seen in his own factories, where lies his answer to the great industrial problems that will confront this country and Canada in the future.

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VULCAN OFFICE
All enquiries in the Vulcan district can be addressed to H. C. Jacques, Jeweler, Vulcan. They will receive prompt attention.

NOTICE TO THE RATEPAYERS OF MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MARQUIS, No. 157 and the MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF ROYAL, No. 158

RE SEED GRAIN ACT

All ratepayers desiring seed grain for the year 1919 should place their requisitions immediately with the Secretary-Treasurers of their respective districts.

Municipal District of Royal, No. 158, A. J. FLOOD, Sec'y-Treas.
Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157 R. E. HOUSE, Sec'y-Treas.

SEED GRAIN NOTICE

All applications for seed grain must be handed in on or before February 20th.

The consent of the registered owner must be obtained before any seed grain relief will be given.

Municipal District of Royal No. 158

NOTICE OF BY-LAW TO BE VOTED ON

A By-Law No. 3 authorizing Municipal Districts to collect School Taxes in Rural School Districts has been voted upon and passed by the above Council, and will be balloted on by the ratepayers at Municipal elections on February 27th, 1919.

A. J. FLOOD,
Secretary-Treasurer
Vulcan, Alberta



War to Peace

To Solve Canada's Employment Problem

EVERYONE in Canada should understand just what the Government is doing to solve the unemployment problems that may arise through the demobilization of our fighting forces.

(1) Employment Offices.

So that everyone—male or female, soldier or civilian—can get quickly such jobs as are available the Government is co-operating with the Provinces in establishing a chain of Public Employment Offices. Employers are being urged to make use of these offices to secure any help they need. Farmers, for example, who need hired men should apply to the nearest office. There will be a Public Employment Office in every town of 10,000 people—and wherever the need for one exists. There will be 60 different offices in all—one-half are already in operation.

(2) Employment Opportunities.

The war held up much work that will now be carried on at once. Public works, shipbuilding, roadbuilding, railway work—construction of bridges, improvement of road-bed, making of new equipment—these will provide new opportunities for employment. In addition, the Government has sent a Trade Mission overseas to secure for Canada a share in the business of providing materials and products required for reconstruction work in Europe. It has also set aside the large sum of

\$25,000,000 to be loaned through the Provinces to encourage the building of workmen's houses. This will mean much new work in the spring.

(3) Land and Loans for Soldiers

To help soldiers become farmers the Government has developed a programme that includes the providing of land, the granting of loans, and the training and supervision of those inexperienced in farming. At present, the soldier is granted, free, in addition to his ordinary homestead right, one quarter-section of Dominion lands. He also receives a loan up to the maximum of \$2,500.

These original plans are now being broadened. If Parliament passes the new proposals during this session, the Soldier Settlement Board will be able to buy suitable land and re-sell it to the soldier at cost.

Land up to the value of \$5,000 may be bought by this plan—the money to be repaid in 20 years. The low interest rate of 5 per cent. will be charged. These new proposals will also permit the Soldier Settlement Board to loan the soldier-farmer up to \$2,500 for purchasing equipment, etc., in addition to \$5,000 loan on his farm.

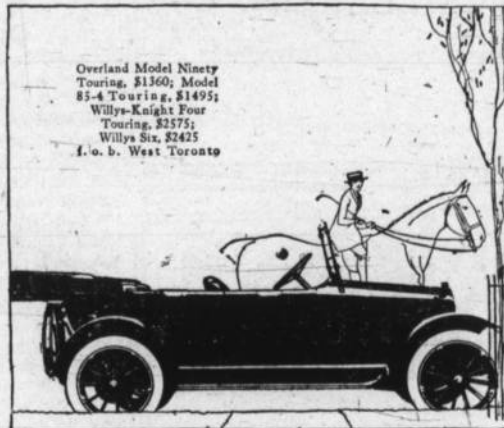


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REID HILL WANTS CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

Meeting Decides in Favor of it
Will Petition Depart. for Information

A meeting of the ratepayers of Reid Hill was called at the Reid Hill store on Wednesday of last week to consider and discuss the advisability of having a consolidated school including four school districts, namely, Reid Hill, Sunny Glen, Marshall, and the unorganized district east of Sunny Glen.

Mr. Jansen was in the chair, and D. McPherson was appointed Sec. Treasurer.

The first business under consideration was the advisability of including other districts in the immediate vicinity, such as Prospect Slope, and after some little discussion it was decided to get the opinion of the ratepayers present concerning consolidation before branching out and further. Mr. Norton expressed his views on the advantages of consolidation over the present system, he pointed out that it was impossible for a teacher to give the same attention and training to eight grades as he or she could give to two or three, and that as far as he was concerned he did not look at the cost so much, his idea being to get a better service and a higher standard of education.

Mr. Guy W. Johnson, manager of the Vulcan Co-Operative Company, who was present also spoke, taking as his keynote the necessity of greater efficiency along educational lines, and pointed out that one of the great advantages of consolidated schools

was that the boys and girls who desire to go to High School can take two first grades of High School under the parents' care. After dwelling at some length on the value and importance of education from a national standpoint, as well as from that of the community, it could be gathered that Mr. Johnson favored any system that would promote a greater efficiency.

Mr. Bennett opened a discussion on the practicability of transportation system, and after some little discussion the matter dropped without having arrived at any definite conclusion. Mr. Wm. Myers asked the ladies present if the Women's Institute had not been favored with an address on education by one of the members of that Society, whereupon Mrs. McKay stated that they had not, but that she was a strong advocate for consolidation where practicable.

Mr. Jim Marshall had with him figures showing the cost of operation, etc., of the Lomond consolidated school, and judging from the figures a consolidated school is an expensive necessity, but paying for an expensive necessity is far more sensible than paying for an expensive luxury. Finally a motion by W. McPherson seconded by Roy Walker, was passed that the Minister of Education send a competent man to explain the advantages, costs, etc., of consolidation. The vote carried unanimously, and the signing of the petitions went in to effect. The meeting then adjourned.

ANNUAL RATEPAYERS MEETING M/D. OF MARQUIS

The sixth annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Municipal District of Marquis No. 157, met at the Lake McGregor School House on Thursday, February 20th, 1919.

The meeting was called to order promptly at the hour of one o'clock p.m.

The first business of the meeting was the appointment of a chairman.

Motion by Mr. Sinclair, seconded by Mr. Dann that Mr. Frances Baden act as chairman, which was carried. Motion put by Mr. Dann, and seconded by Brodick, that R. E. House be appointed secretary of the meeting, which was carried. After a few remarks by the chairman he called upon each of the 1918 councillors for a speech along the lines of their work for the past year.

Mr. Brodick first replied, and his remarks were few but to the point. It was very clear that he was in favor of the present Municipal Co-Operative Hail Insurance scheme, but was not in favor of the present Municipal Hospital scheme. Mr. Ebie next addressed the meeting, replying along the same lines.

Mr. Shouldice being next called upon stated that he was glad to see so many present, as it augured well for the future welfare of the municipality, and he believed that the present ratepayers' meeting was the largest that he had attended since he became a councillor for the District.

Reeve Sinclair spoke next, and read the Auditor's Financial Statement for the past year, which was reviewed in detail by the meeting.

on roads by townships. A general discussion re the road question then followed. Mr. McCullum makes objections to the Municipal grading outfit, claiming that the grader did not answer the purpose as a money saver and also stating that an elevator grader would have been as cheap, and would have been more profitable for the work.

The above was answered by Mr. Brodick in an able manner.

Mr. McCullum also made objection to one Huguird Johnson, working on the roads with teams of ponies and receiving 80 cents per hour for same. Answered by Mr. Sinclair who stated that he knew nothing about it, as the councillor for that division was not present.

Several objections to minor jobs of work was also made, but as a whole the ratepayers of the District appeared to appreciate the difficulties owing to the extreme dry weather, under which the council labored in the construction and renovation of roads.

Mr. Sinclair next addressed the meeting, and in an able and concise manner explained the Municipal Hail Insurance scheme. After this very interesting address the meeting adjourned to take up the matter of the nomination for the 1919 election of councillors.

The Rotarians of Victoria have set out to obtain at least \$2,000 for the Great Convention to be held in Winnipeg for raising the educational system of Canada to the highest possible standard.

AUCTION SALE

Having rented his farm, the undersigned will sell at Public Auction at the N. E. Qr. of 24-16-23-w4th, being 10 miles east and 2 miles south of Vulcan and 2 miles south of the Reid Hill Store, on

Thursday March 6th.

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1 16 double disc Monitor Drill; 1 3-Section Leyer Harrow, Massey Harris; 1 8 ft. Massey Harris Binder; 1 Massey Harris 16 x 16 disc harrow, 1 10 barrel Water tank; 1 Saddle Pony; One Filly, two years old; Household Furniture, Tools, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE: All sums of \$20.00 or under; CASH. On sums over that amount, time will be given until November 1st, 1919, on approved joint lein notes, bearing 8 per cent interest. A discount of 5 per cent will be given for cash on sums amounting over \$20.00.

C. C. REBBE, J. W. BROWN, C. B. SHIMP
Auctioneer Owner Clerk

Letter to Mary

Dear Sister Mary,
Tom and I reached a most momentous conclusion the other evening. Our children are growing up—very fast it seems to us—and our eldest, Florence, has just turned her 18th birthday. Very naturally, at that age she wishes to entertain her friends; and desires to take a proper pride in welcoming them to a worthy home. Then too the others, Bobby now 16 years; Fred, Mary, and Beth are getting to an age of realization of just what a home means to them.

As Tom has said, a home is not a business and money-making proposition, but pretty nearly the opposite. For the sake of Florence, we cannot afford to wait another month, but we will let the contract within the next 10 days. We have nearly completed our plans, and gone very thoroughly into the idea with the local lumberman, whom Tom knows very well. Can't you imagine my excitement in the coming realization of my dreams of a real home means.

Will be over soon to show you the delightful pantry and linen closet planned.

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I went to La Porte determined to get the utmost out of this course and to justify my appointment as an Advance-Rumely distributor. I got all of that—plus an increased respect and enthusiasm for the product and the Company that makes it.

I wish every farmer round here could see the inside of that OilPull factory. In the first place, it is a whale of a plant—the machine shop alone is 800 feet long—but what impresses you next to the bigness of it, is the way things are organized and the thoroughness with which the goods are manufactured, inspected, and tested.

I was pretty well satisfied before I went down to La Porte, that the materials and workmanship that

went into the OilPull were the best that went into any tractor. Now I am sure of it.

We dealers didn't play at that school. It was hard work, a minimum of talk and a maximum of action. We learned the OilPull motor by taking it apart and putting it together. The same with the transmission, and every part of the construction and operation of the OilPull that a man has got to know. I wouldn't sell what I learned at the OilPull school in La Porte.

What does all this mean to you, my service means just this. My two weeks at the OilPull factory has given me a knowledge and experience of not only how the OilPull is made and how it works, but how to keep it working. I have a foundation for a Tractor service to my customers that can't be equalled in these parts. I put the time in down there at La Porte for the sole reason that I could take proper care of my customers' interests.

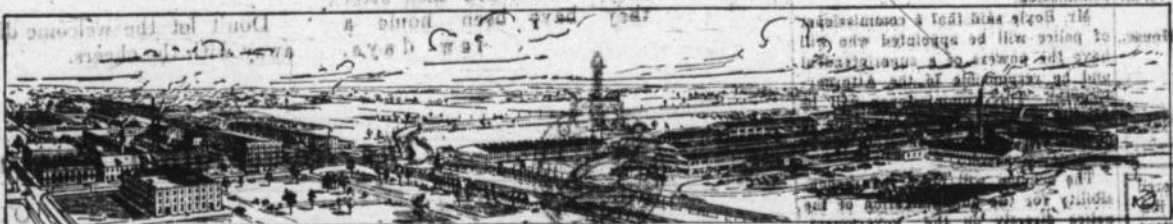
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ESTRAY—Champion, on the premises of Charles H. Boner SE ¼ 14-15-24 W 4, one bay pony gelding rising three years old, two white hind feet, black patch on left side of face, no visible brand, has been on above premises for four months. F. C. Alcock, Brand Farmer.

ESTRAY—from Eastway since last October, 1 brown mare, 4 years old, branded on left shoulder weight 1100. A. Euzenauer, Vulcan, Alberta. Phone R 814

ESTRAY—From 28-15-24-4, since February, 1918, one Bay Stallion, 3 years of age, white star on face 3 white feet, branded on right shoulder. \$25 reward for return of same name.—R. J. Ferguson, Champion, Alberta.
29-3p

\$5.00 REWARD

Will be paid for the recovery of all cattle branded on left rib, and all horses branded on left thigh.
Mrs. J. H. Chandler, Nanton. 28-11p

ESTRAY—On sec. 15-19-24-4, One Brown Mare branded on left shoulder, weight about 1,100, white strip on face, aged.—Geo. Todd, Brandreader, Vulcan, Alberta.
31-3c

FOR SALE

LOST—One Irish Water Spaniel, Reward will be given on return of same. G. E. Pettman, Vulcan, Alberta.
29-3c

FOR SALE—A 10-20 International "TITAN" Engine and "LITTLE GENIUS" self lift plow, all in good condition, for sale cheap. Advocate Office, Vulcan, Alberta. P.N. 30-3p

GOING, GOING, for the third and the last time, 158 acres on the N.W. ¼ Sec. 31, Tp. 16-22-4, Reid Hill, with 100 acres Summer followed the rest stubble, for \$8,000.00. S. Hopkins P. O. Innisfail, Alberta.
30-28

HAY FOR SALE—Cattle Hay for Sale in Carload Lots only. \$12.00 per ton.—Jno. J. Shaw, Vulcan, Alberta.
31-3p

LOST

LOST—On Tuesday, February 25, A Fox Terrier Dog, black and white, answers to name of "Kip."—A. F. Vans Kiver, Vulcan, Alberta. 31-1p

LOST—Small Collie Dog, Indian brown, has strap collar on neck, answers to name of "Fannie." Left home Wednesday, Feb. 19th. Anyone knowing of her whereabouts please notify John A. Gardner, Vulcan Alberta.
31-1p

LOST—Last week, between Vulcan and two miles North and half mile East of Reid Hill, one rim and spare tyre for a Chalmers car. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to General Service Garage, Vulcan, Alberta. P.N. 30-3p

FOR RENT—479 acres at Reid Hill, 260 acres ready for crop. \$1,000.00 cash and one-third of crop. Can furnish seed and outfit if desired.—W. G. Jansen, Reid Hill, Alberta.
31-1f

STOLEN—At the end of last year, Four Plowshares, belonging to a John Deere, were stolen from the plow which was in my field. As I know who took them, having been to some expense in order to get evidence, I will allow the party ten days from to-day, February 12th, in which to return them to the place he took them from. Should he fail to do this, I will immediately institute proceedings against him. L. C. DEAL, Vulcan, Alberta.
29-1p

WANTED TO BORROW—\$1,500 for short term on security of \$3,500. Two Stores and Five-Roomed Dwelling to Let. Rochon's new building, Main Street, Vulcap. 31-3p

Lodge : Directory

VULCAN LODGE—No. 74, A.F. & A.M., G.R.A. Regular meetings on the Tuesday on or before the full moon. Lodge of instruction two weeks before the regular meeting. Visiting brothers welcome.
Claude Clark, W. M.
F. A. Elves, Secy.

I. O. O. F. SAMARITAN LODGE—No. 91, Vulcan, Alberta. Lodge meets every Wednesday, at 8 p. m. Visiting brothers welcome.
C. M. McDonald, N. G.
H. C. Jacques, Rec. Secy.

VULCAN ENCAMPMENT, No. 14 I.O.O.F. Regular meeting 2nd and 4th Mondays at I.O.O.F. Hall. Visiting Brethren welcome. A. O. Brown, C.P., W. O. Torgerson, Recording Scribe.

T. J. Polley used a Moline Tractor to break a quarter section, and put only one quart of water in the radiator daily.

O. D. Cook of Mirror threshed 70,000 bushels of grain with his Moline Tractor.

The Moline Tractor is all pull, no push. The operator rides on every implement even the binder.

FOR SALE

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NOTICE

KITCHENER AND MARQUIS SEED WHEAT
—Ready for Sowing
GUY WALKER, Reid Hill.
ROY WALKER, Vulcan.

NOTICE

The Restaurant lately carried on by E.W. Dong, Vulcan, has been sold to Lem Jaw and Lem Hong. All parties owing or having claims against E. W. Dong, Vulcan, are notified to place same with Lem Jaw and Lem Hong, Box 403, Vulcan, on or before February 15th, 1919.
Dated Vulcan, 20th January, 1919.
29-2

NOTICE OF POLL
By-Law No. 1—re Hail Insurance
By-Law No. 2—re Collection of School Taxes.

Public Notice is hereby given that a vote will be taken on the above mentioned By-Laws No. 1 and 3 of the Municipal District of Royal No. 158, and the polling will take place on

February 27th, 1919
from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon at the following Voting Polls for the various divisions:
Division No. 1.—Basement I.O.O.F. Hall, Vulcan.
Division No. 2.—Home of L. F. Dawson, S.E. 28-16-25-4.
Division No. 3.—Richard Hill School, 3-17-26-4.
Division No. 4.—Office of Wm. Thomas, Brant.
Division No. 5.—Perry School House, 11-18-25-4.
Division No. 6.—
A. J. FLOOD,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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VULCAN ALBERTA

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Pupils Prepared for Examination

EDITH MASON, Teacher of Piano-forte. Class at Carmangay every Wednesday and Thursday. Vulcan, Alberta. Phone 64.

The Churches

THE VULCAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—(A Community Church) Rev. A. R. Schrag, B. D., Minister. Manse Appolo Street. Phone No. 24. Divine Worship Lord's Day at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible School Session at 12 a.m. Ladies Aid Society meets last Thursday in each month.

CATTLE WANTED—About 200 head of two or three-year old steers wanted. Would also consider a mixed lot of cattle. J. Tompson, High River, or Flood, Whioher & Elves, Vulcan, Alta.
23-4f

A Real One Man Tractor is where the operator rides on the implement and sees what he is doing like the MOLINE.

Tractors have come to stay because a MOLINE has less pressure per square inch on the ground than a horse.

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POLICE WILL BE DIRECTLY UNDER A MINISTER NOW

Attorney-General Will Have Direct Control of Provincial Force

Hon. J. R. Boyle announced in the House last Friday that a Bill would be introduced in the Legislature re-organizing the provincial police system. Under the new arrangement, the provincial police commission will be directly under the Attorney-General's department instead of a police commission.

Mr. Boyle said that a commissioner of police will be appointed who will have the powers of a superintendent and be responsible to the Attorney-General. This commissioner will be appointed by the Lieut.-Governor in council on the recommendation of the Attorney-General.

The scheme will place the responsibility for the administration of the police directly on the government, and is a step toward the more rigid enforcement of the liquor act.

GERMANY HAS PLENTY OF MONEY

Herbert Gibbs, a well-known banker, in an address, declared that having made a special study of the subject he was able to say that the savings of Germany were very great. Germany could easily pay \$3,000,000,000 yearly, the burden of which he asserted, would fall not on the wage earners of Germany, but on the people who had made the war. He believed that an Allied commission should sit at Berlin to receive the money in marks at the gold rate of exchange.

There is a tendency, and we think we may attribute it to the reaction after the war, to criticize governments for not doing things. But the speech from the throne indicates a monster program of highway and railway and railway building, soldier land settlement activity, a big housing program and many other schemes about which we will learn more as the session proceeds. Let us not be impatient. No government in Canada ever had the problems to face that the Union Government is facing now. Give the Government a chance.

AUSTRALIA'S SURPLUS

Australia will have about 200,000-000 bushels of wheat for export up to the end of this year, and it is being put on the world markets very rapidly. At present there are 50 ships on their way to the Commonwealth to bring back wheat cargoes. The stock is controlled by the British Government and the wheat will not only be moved to Britain, but also to China, Greece, Egypt and Western Asia.



Make The Returning Soldier Welcome

THIS is an important hour for Canada. The nation is entering on a new era. It is passing from war to peace. Let us start this new era right. There are thousands of soldiers returning from overseas. The Government is doing all in its power to get these men back to civil life.

It is giving a *War Service Gratuity*—more than any other nation—to keep the soldier going till he gets a job.

It gives him a *pension*—where his usefulness is impaired by his service.

It teaches a man a new trade when his service unfits him for his former trade.

It gives him free medical treatment when illness recurs, and supplies free artificial limbs and surgical appliances.

It is bringing back to Canada at the public expense the *soldiers' dependents* now overseas.

But the Government, however willing, cannot provide the personal touch needed in this work of repatriation. That must be given by the people themselves.

The men who went from these parts to fight in Flanders deserve a real welcome home—the best we can give.

In most towns committees of citizens have already been organized to meet the soldiers and their dependents at the station, to provide hot meals, supply automobiles, afford temporary accommodation when necessary.

In addition, many other towns are organizing social gatherings to give public welcome to returned men after they have been home a few days.

After he has rested, the soldier must be provided with an opportunity for employment. In towns of 10,000 population, Public Employment Offices have been established to help soldiers, as well as war-workers, secure good jobs quickly. Where these exist, citizens should co-operate. Where they do not exist, the citizens themselves should help put the soldier in touch with employment.

The fighting job is done. It has cost many a heart-burning. But it has been well done. The least we can do is to show our appreciation in no uncertain manner.

Don't let the welcome die away with the cheers.



The Repatriation Committee

OTTAWA